

David Alpert, Treasurer New York State Democratic Committee 60 Madison Avenue, Suite 1201 New York, NY 10010

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Reference:

Amended 30 Day Post-Special Election Report (1/1/01-7/9/01),

received 5/1/02

Dear Mr. Alpert:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

In your report, you state that the "debt owed to the National Education Association of NY has been deleted. [The] transaction was actually a 1996 contribution that was inadvertently disclosed as a loan on this report and previously filed reports." However, the debt owed to the National Education Association of NY is still disclosed on Schedule D supporting Line 10 of the Summary Page. Please amend your report to clarify this discrepancy.

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule(s) H4 of your report to clarify the following description(s): event costs. For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3).

-Schedule H4 of your report discloses an apparent in-kind contribution to the Monroe County Democratic Committee and the NYS Council of Black Elected Democrats for "telephone" and "administrative support". Please be advised that contributions to non-federal committees/organizations do not qualify as shared expenses to be allocated between your federal and non-federal accounts. Contributions to non-federal committees/organizations should be disclosed on a separate Schedule B

supporting Line 29. Any reimbursement from your committee's non-federal account for any portion of this contribution(s) is not permissible and should be transferred-out immediately. 11 CFR §102.5(a)(1)(i) Please amend your report to clarify the disbursement(s).

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Angel L. Williamson

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